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SUBJ: BELGRADE CSCE -- BRIEFINGS OF THIRD COUNTRY NATIONAL ON
MBFR NEGOTIATION

1. LAST PARAGRAPH OF CBMS DOCUMENT IN HELSINKI FINAL ACT
RECOGNIZES AS ONE CONSIDERATION RELEVANT TO THE PURSUIT OF
DISARMAMENT, "THE IMPORTANCE THAT PARTICIPANTS IN NEGOTI-
ATING FORA SEE TO IT THAT INFORMATION ABOUT RELEVANT
DEVELOPMENTS, PROGRESS AND RESULTS IS PROVIDED ON AN APPRO-
PRIATE BASIS TO OTHER STATES PARTICIPATING IN THE CONFERENCE
ON SECURITY AND CO-OPERATION IN EUROPE AND IN RETURN, THE
JUSTIFIED INTEREST OF ANY OF THOSE STATES IN HAVING THEIR
VIEWS CONSIDERED."

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2. IN REVIEW OF IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS PORTION OF CBMS
DOCUMENT NEXT WEEK, WE WOULD LIKE TO BE ABLE TO RE-
PORT WHAT WEST HAS DONE TO KEEP CSCE STATES WHO ARE
NOT PARTICIPANTS IN MBFR INFORMED OF THE GENERAL PROGRESS
OF THE NEGOTIATIONS.

3. MBFR DELEGATION MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD (SUBJECT:

"BRIEFING OF THIRD COUNTRY NATIONALS") DATED NOVEMBER 24, 1976, RECORDS INFORMAL US-UK-FRG AGREEMENT, REACHED IN THE TRILATERAL SESSION OF NOVEMBER 19, TO UNDERTAKE REGULAR BRIEFINGS OF THE VARIOUS NEUTRAL AND NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES ON A BILATERAL BASIS. THE PUROPSE OF THESE WAS TO BE TO "DEMONSTRATE THE VIABILITY OF BILATERAL BRIEFINGS AND THE LACK OF A NEED OF ANY MORE FORMAL CHANNEL BETWEEN MBFR AND CSCE."

4. WE WOULD APPRECIATE REPORT BY NOVEMBER 4 ABOUT HOW THE AGREEMENT NOTED ABOVE HAS BEEN IMPLEMENTED (NOT ONLY THE FREQUENCY BUT THE CHARACTER/SUBSTANCE OF THE BRIEFINGS), PARTICULARLY WITH RESPECT TO CSCE PARTICIPANTS, AS WELL AS GUIDANCE ABOUT EXTENT TO WHICH WE MIGHT DRAW ON THIS INFORMATION IN SUBSIDIARY WORKING BODY REVIEW. GOLDBERG UNQUOTE VANCE

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